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NO!
HULK CAN'T
FIGHT GAS!

WE HAVEN'T
A CHANCE!
CAN'T GET PAST
THESE CHOKING
FUMES!

WE'RE FACING OUR
MOST INCREDIBLE FOE--
AND HE MAY
DESTROY
US ALL!

TRAPPED--IN THE FRIGHT FILLED
THEATRE OF FEAR!

Stan Lee PRESENTS: **THE DYNAMIC DEFENDERS!**

GOLD DIGGERS OF FEAR!

ONLY RARELY IS THERE A LULL IN THE NOISE-LEVEL OF A NEW YORK CITY STREET... A TIME WHEN ONE MAY ACTUALLY HEAR ONESELF THINK ABOVE THE JACK-HAMMERS, AUTO-HORNs AND THE MANIFESTED PRESENCE OF OVER ELEVEN MILLION PEOPLE CRAWLED INTO MUCH TOO SMALL AN AREA.

STILL... THERE ARE SUCH MOMENTS... AND IT IS DURING ONE SUCH TIME THAT DR. STRANGE, MASTER OF THE MYSTIC ARTS, WALKS THE STREETS OF GREENWICH VILLAGE LOST IN QUIET MEDITATION...

DAT'S HIM, ALL RIGHT!

... UNWARE THAT HE IS BEING FOLLOWED!

AND WITH THAT EXCLAMATION POINT, WE OPEN WHAT PROMISES TO BE ONE OF THE WEIRDEST ADVENTURES EVER TO BEFALL A GROUP OF MARVEL SUPER-HEROES! READ ON, ADVENTUROUS ONE!

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CLEA WISHED TO BE ALONE THIS AFTERNOON THAT SHE MIGHT FURTHER HER STUDIES IN SOLITUDE--

--AND I DID NOT PROTEST, WISHING TO WALK THE QUIET OF THE CITY'S STREETS BY MYSELF!

HOLD IT RIGHT THERE, FANCYPANTS!

THIS HEATER'S LOADED! ONE FUNNY MOVE AN' I'LL DRILL YA!

PARDON ME? I WASN'T PAYING ATTENTION!

ALLOW ME TO APOLOGIZE! NOW WHAT WAS IT YOU WANTED?

YOU SOME KINDA WISE-GUY OR GUMPIN'?

DIS GUN IS FOR REAL, JOKER--AN' I DON'T MIND HAVIN' TA USE IT!



THEN, PERHAPS IT SHOULD BE TAKEN FROM YOU BEFORE EITHER OF US COMES TO ANY HARM!



HEY! WATCHA DOIN'? I DROPPED MY ROD!



THAT WAS PRECISELY WHAT I HAD IN MIND, MY FRIEND!

LOOK OUT! DAT GARBAGE CAN IS--

BLANN

IT IS NOW FULL OF TRASH!

HELP ME, YOUSE GUYS! HELP MEEEEE--



WHAT D'YA DO TA SMILE, MISTER?

MERELY KEPT HIM FROM FOULING THE ENVIRONMENT... AS YOU ARE DESPOILING IT WITH YOUR PRESENCE EVEN NOW!

TOO BAD YOU SAID A T'ING LIKE THAT, PAL!

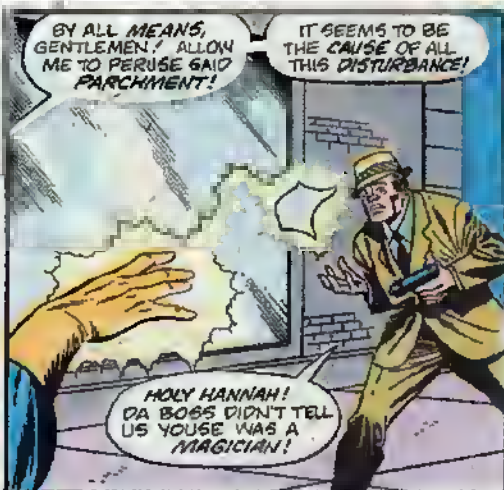
TOO BAD FOR YOU, DAT IS!



HOLD IT UP, JERKS!

DA BOSS SAID TA LET 'IM READ DIS FIRST!

DEN IF HE DON'T COME WID US, WE WASTES HIM!



BY ALL MEANS, GENTLEMEN, ALLOW ME TO PERUSE SAID PARCHMENT!

IT SEEMS TO BE THE CAUSE OF ALL THIS DISTURBANCE!

HOLY HANNAH! DA BOSS DIDN'T TELL US YOUSE WAS A MAGICIAN!

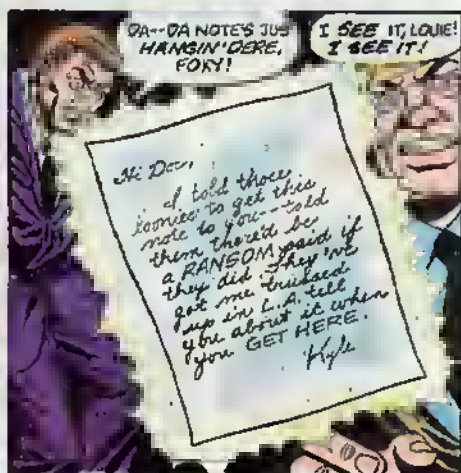


I AM FAR MORE THAN *THAT*, MY FRIEND! BUT THAT IS OF NO IMPORT AT THIS MOMENT!

NOW-- WHAT HAVE WE HERE?

A MESSAGE FROM KYLE RICHMOND! HE IS-- WELL-- KNOWN TO ME?

*AS NIGHTHAWK, NO LESS! -- MARVELOUS MARY.



DA--DA NOTE'S JUS HANGIN' DERE, FOKY!

I SEE IT, LOUIE! I SEE IT!

Mr. Dan,
I told those scoundrels to get this note to you-- told them there'd be a RANSOM paid if they did. They're gettin' me trucked up in L.A. tell y'all about it when you GET HERE.
Kyle



HMMM. MOST INTERESTING!

OF COURSE THE RANSOM MUST BE PAID IF KYLE IS TO BE FREE!

AND I ASSUME MR. RICHMOND HAS INFORMED YOU THAT I AM THE EXECUTOR OF HIS ESTATE?



UH-- YEAH! DAT'S WHAT HE SAID! YOU IS HIS EXECUTIONER!

ER--PRECISELY, MY FRIEND! NOW-- IF YOU WILL PLEASE FOLLOW ME-- WE CAN GO TO MY HOME-- WHERE I WILL OBTAIN THE NECESSARY FUNDS!

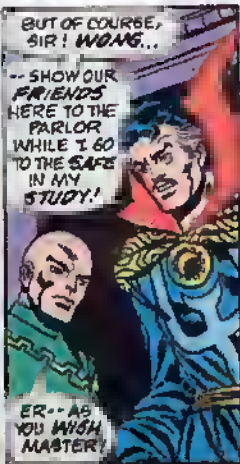
ALL OF WHICH IS PURE INVENTION ON MY PART-- BUT I HAVE WHAT I NEED TO LOCATE NIGHTHAWK!



AND ALL THAT REMAINS IS TO DISPOSE OF THESE TROUBLESOME 'GENTLEMEN!'

THIS WAY, GENTLEMEN! WE'LL BE BUT MOMENT!

'MEMBER WHAT I SAID, DOC! NO TRICKS!'



BUT OF COURSE, SIR! WONG...

-- SHOW OUR FRIENDS HERE TO THE PARLOR WHILE I GO TO THE SAFE IN MY STUDY!

ER-- AS YOU WISH, MASTER!



I WILL TAKE EXCEPTIONAL CARE OF OUR 'GUESTS!'

I KNEW YOU WOULD, FAITHFUL ONE!



HEY! HOW DO WE KNOW YOU AIN'T GONNA CALL THE COAST?

ARE YOU NOT HOLDING RICHMOND KYLE?

YEAH! 'COURSE WE ARE!

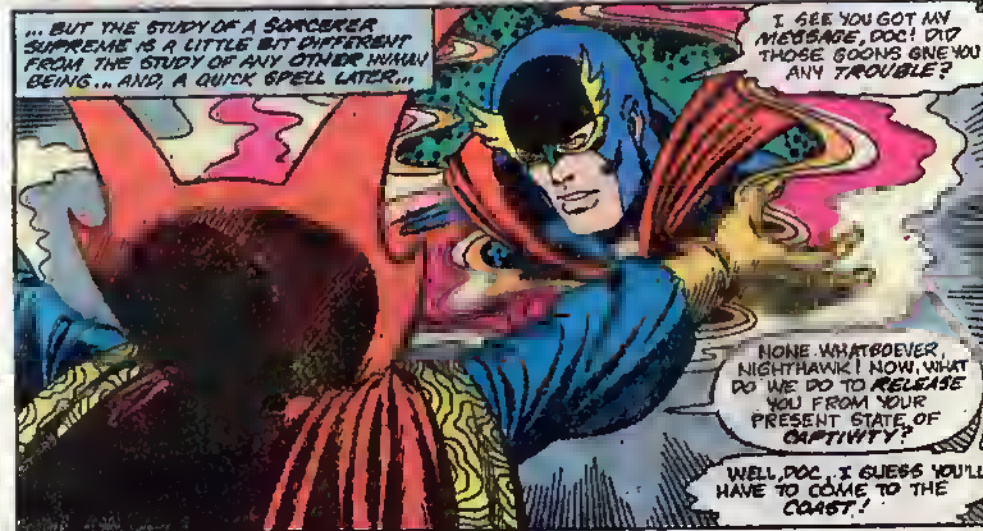
DOES IT SEEM LIKELY THAT I WOULD PLACE HIM IN JEOPARDY!



NO, I GUESS DAT'S RIGHT! YOU WOULDNT! OKAY-- YOUSE CAN GO GET THE DOUGH!

'THANK YOU, MY FRIEND! I'LL BE BUT A FEW MOMENTS!'

DR. STRANGE OPENS THE DOORS THAT LEAD TO HIS STUDY...



... BUT THE STUDY OF A SORCERER SUPREME IS A LITTLE BIT DIFFERENT FROM THE STUDY OF ANY OTHER HUMAN BEING... AND, A QUICK SPELL LATER...

I SEE YOU GOT MY MESSAGE, DOC! DID THOSE GOONS GIVE YOU ANY TROUBLE?

NONE WHATSOEVER, NIGHTHAWK! NOW, WHAT DO WE DO TO RELEASE YOU FROM YOUR PRESENT STATE OF CAPTIVITY?

WELL, DOC, I GUESS YOU'LL HAVE TO COME TO THE COAST!

SEEMS THAT PENNYSWORTH BOUGHT UP AN OLD MOVIE LOT WHILE HE WAS STILL WORKING FOR KYLE RICHMOND! WHEN I WENT OUT TO OVERSEE MY INVESTMENT--

-- IT TURNED OUT THAT THE WHOLE PLACE WAS CRAWLING WITH MAGGIA HOODS! THEY FIGURED I WAS WORTH MILLIONS --AND THEY PLAN TO COLLECT!

THAT IS ENOUGH, NIGHTHAWK! I HAVE MANAGED TO MENTALLY PIN POINT YOUR LOCATION!

WE SHALL BE THERE WITHIN THE HOUR!

THE MAGGIA HAS APPEARED MORE TIMES THAN YOU CAN SHAKE A BLACKJACK AT, MARVELITES--AND IT WOULD TAKE THIS WHOLE PANEL TO RE-COUNT EXACTLY WHERE.--HARR!

...THE VALKYRIE...

FORGIVE ME IF I DISTURBED YOU, VAL! BUT WE ARE NEEDED!

WHO--? OH, IT IS YOU, STEPHEN!

OF COURSE, STEPHEN! I WILL BE RIGHT DOWNSTAIRS!

"WE" BEING...

...AND THE INCREDIBLE HULK!

SOMETHING APPEARS IN FRONT OF HULK--

-- IT IS HULK'S FRIEND--THE MAGICIAN!

YES, HULK! NIGHTHAWK HAS NEED OF US! WILL YOU COME?

IF MAGICIAN SAYS BIRD-NOSE NEEDS HULK--

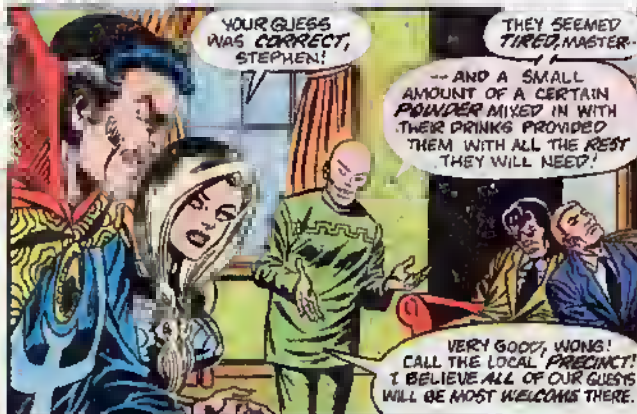
-- THEN HULK WILL COME!

IT IS DONE, VAL! THE HULK WILL FOLLOW MY ASTRAL IMAGE TO THE STUDIO OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES!

BUT WHAT OF THOSE WHO FOLLOWED YOU, STEPHEN! ARE THEY NOT STILL IN THE PARLOR?

INDEED! BUT UNLESS I MISS MY GUESS, WONG WILL HAVE TAKEN CARE OF THEM QUITE SOME TIME AGO!

THEN LEAP ON TOWARDS THAT CITY IN THE DISTANCE, HULK--ACROSS THE DESERT! VALKYRIE AND I WILL JOIN YOU THERE!



YOUR GUESS WAS CORRECT, STEPHEN!

THEY SEEMED TIRED, MASTER.

-- AND A SMALL AMOUNT OF A CERTAIN POWDER MIXED IN WITH THEIR DRINKS PROVIDED THEM WITH ALL THE REST THEY WILL NEED!

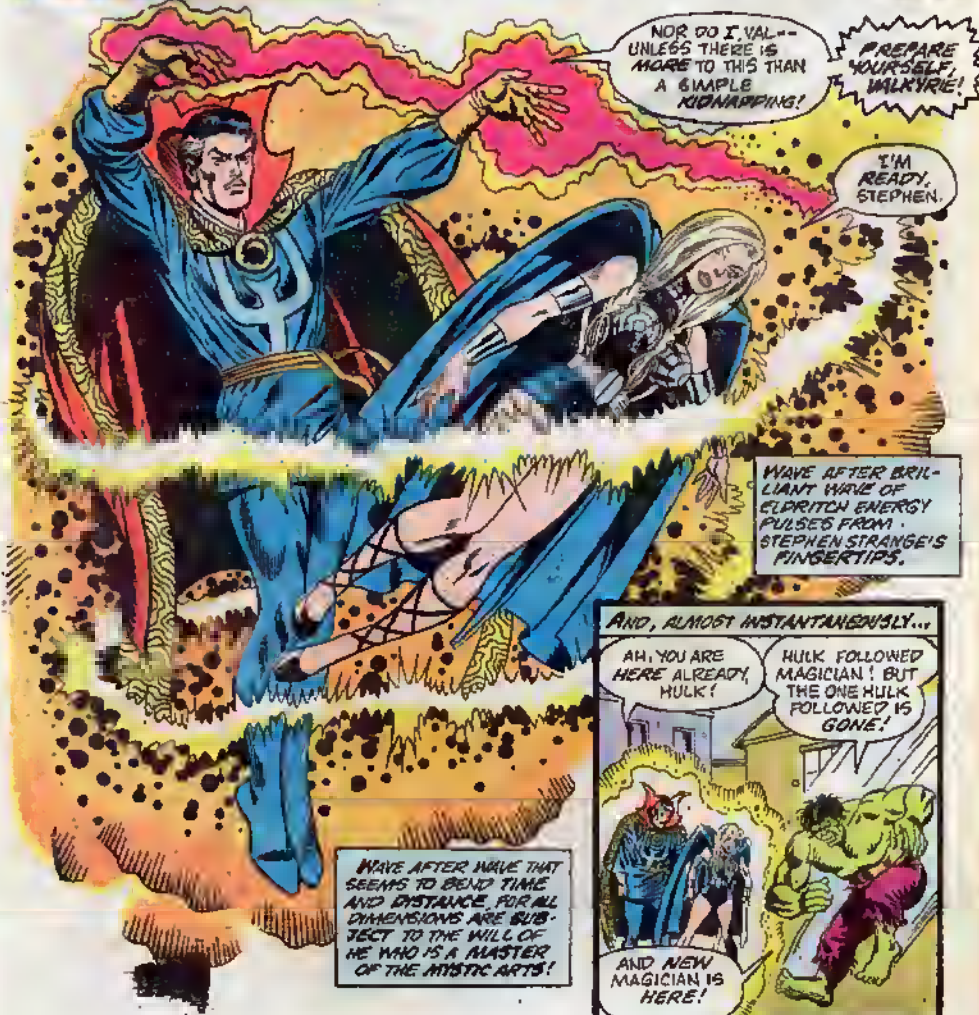
VERY GOOD, WONG! CALL THE LOCAL PRECINCT! I BELIEVE ALL OF OUR GUESTS WILL BE MOST WELCOME THERE.



NOW, WE MUST JOIN OUR FELLOW DEFENDER WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY!

AGREED!

THOUGH I STILL DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY MASTER WONG WOULD BE UNABLE TO FREE HIMSELF!



NOR DO I, VAL-- UNLESS THERE IS MORE TO THIS THAN A SIMPLE KIDNAPPING!

PREPARE YOURSELF, WALKYRIE!

I'M READY, STEPHEN.

WAVE AFTER BRILLIANT WAVE OF ELDRITCH ENERGY PULSES FROM STEPHEN STRANGE'S FINGERTIPS.



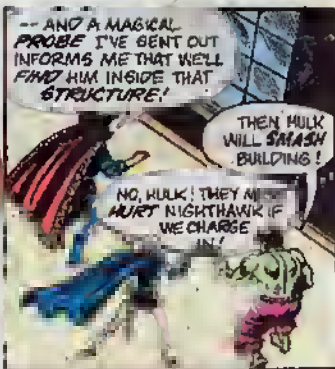
AND, ALMOST INSTANTANEOUSLY...

AH, YOU ARE HERE ALREADY, HULK!

HULK FOLLOWED MAGICIAN! BUT THE ONE HULK FOLLOWED IS GONE!

AND NEW MAGICIAN IS HERE!

WAVE AFTER WAVE THAT SEEMS TO BEND TIME AND DISTANCE, FOR ALL DIMENSIONS ARE SUBJECT TO THE WILL OF HE WHO IS A MASTER OF THE MYSTIC ARTS!



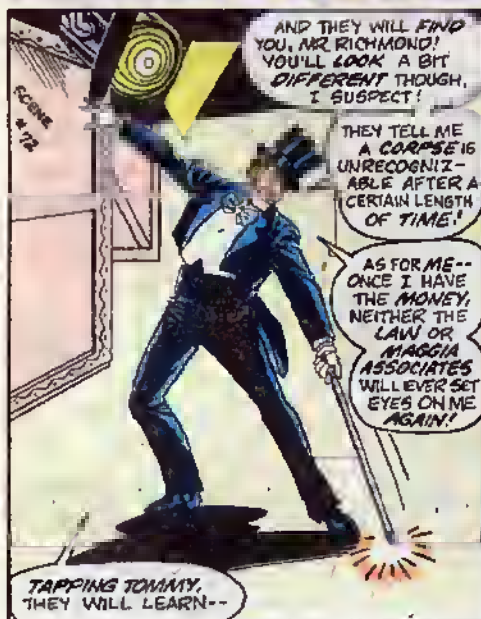
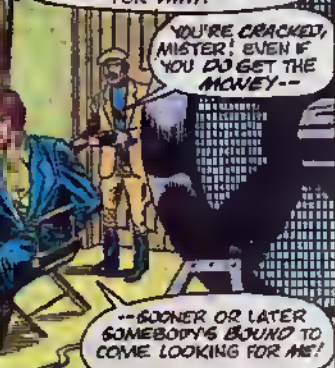
"VAL IS RIGHT, HULK! LET US OBSERVE THRU THIS WINDOW BEFORE HE ACTS" AND WHAT THE DEFENDERS SEE IS--



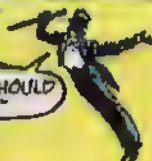
-- OR THAT DOCTOR-FRIEND OF YOURS IS QUITE DEAD!



YOU'RE CRACKED, MISTER! EVEN IF YOU DO GET THE MONEY--



OF COURSE NOT!



WHY SHOULD I--



--PLACE MYSELF IN JEOPARDY--



-- WHEN MURDER IS SO CLEAN--

-- AND SO EFFICIENT?

NO WITNESSES, NO PROBLEMS, AND NO TROUBLE RETURNING YOU AFTER THE RANSOM HAS BEEN COLLECTED!

BUT YOU STILL HAVE A FEW MORE HOURS, MR. RICHMOND! I SUGGEST YOU MAKE THEM EASIER ON YOURSELF BY GETTING THEM OFF.

I GET YOUR POINT, FELLA! I WON'T SAY A WORD!

YOU'RE A GOOD BOY, RICHMOND! ISN'T HE, HODGES?

YESSIR! ANYTHING YOU SAY, TOMMY!

HODGES IS LIKE A FATHER TO ME, RICHMOND! HE'S TAKEN CARE OF ME EVER SINCE MY PARENTS DIED TWENTY YEARS AGO--

I DON'T MEAN TO BE FREUDIAN, MY FRIEND! BUT A MAN CAN TAKE JUST SO MUCH! MY PARENTS WERE CAUGHT WHEN THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY POLICE BUSTED INTO THEIR DISTILLERY ON THIS LOT DURING PROHIBITION! I WAS FIVE YEARS OLD THEN--

-- AND I MANAGED TO SCRAPE BY, AS AN EXTRA, THANKS TO HODGES, WHILE MY FOLKS ROTTED IN JAIL. FINALLY I GOT A JOB IN MUSIC-- ALS! BUT THEY WENT BUSTED TOO!

AND THE FINAL STRAW WAS YOU BUYING THIS STUDIO AND PLANNING TO TURN IT INTO A HOUSING PROJECT! I SWORE I'D GET YOU, RICHMOND!

-- IN PRISON!

I SWORE IT!



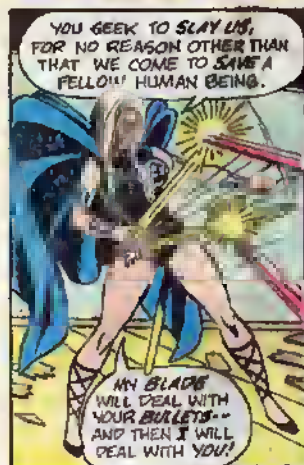
NO! YOU
WILL NOT
HURT HULK'S
FRIEND!



THE HULK??
WHAT IN BLAZES
IS HE DOING
HERE?

WHO CARES?
HE'S HERE--

--AND HE BROUGHT
COMPANY!



YOU GEEK TO SLAY US,
FOR NO REASON OTHER THAN
THAT WE CAME TO SAVE A
FELLOW HUMAN BEING.

MY BLADE
WILL DEAL WITH
YOUR BULLETS--
AND THEN I WILL
DEAL WITH YOU!



HEY!
WHAT
THE--?

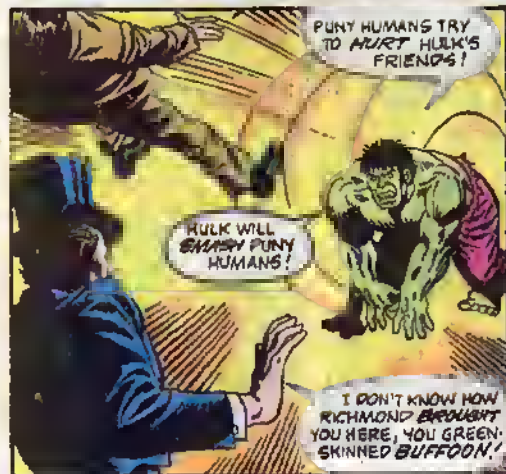
THEIR WEAPONRY
IS MORE SOPHISTI-
CATED THAN THEIR
MANNER, VAL!

BE ON
YOUR GUARD!



WATCH OUT FOR
THE GUY IN THE TOP
HAT, FRIENDS!

IT'S NOT
ONLY HIS
COSTUME
THAT'S A
KILLER!



PUNY HUMANS TRY
TO HURT HULK'S
FRIENDS!

HULK WILL
SMASH PUNY
HUMANS!

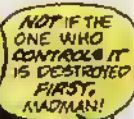
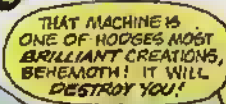
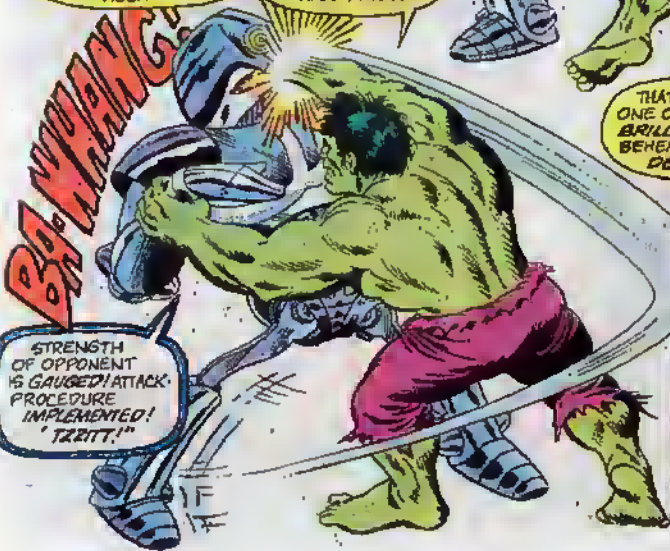
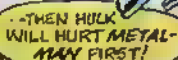
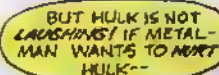
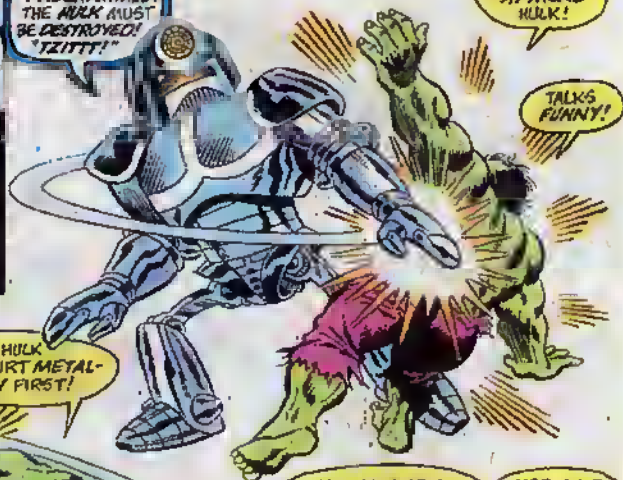
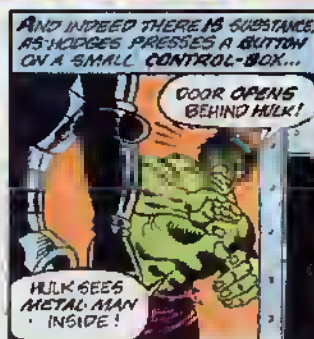
I DON'T KNOW HOW
RICHMOND BROUGHT
YOU HERE, YOU GREEN-
SKINNED BUFFOON!

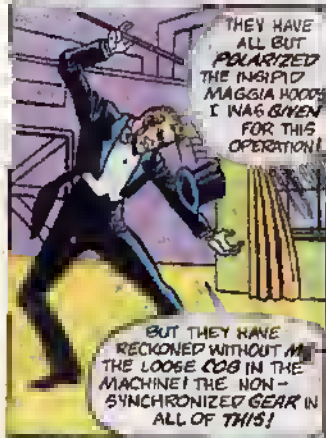


BUT NONE OF
YOU WILL LEAVE
HERE ALIVE!

I HAVE OTHER MEANS
AT MY DISPOSAL THAN
MERELY THESE TWO FOR
A PENNY WORTH THE
MAGGIA SUPPLIED
ME WITH!

MEANS WHICH YOU
SHALL LEARN--
TO YOUR EVER-
LASTING REGRET!





THEY HAVE ALL BUT POLARIZED THE INSPIRID MAGGIA HOODS. I WAS GIVEN FOR THIS OPERATION!

BUT THEY HAVE RECKONED WITHOUT ME THE LOOSE COB IN THE MACHINE! THE NON-SYNCHRONIZED GEAR IN ALL OF THIS!



BUT THEY WILL LEARN THAT TAPPING TOMMY IS NO THIRD-RATE HOOD!

THEY WILL LEARN WHY IT IS I WHO WILL BE THE NEXT HEAD OF ORGANIZED CRIME IN LOS ANGELES!



THEY WILL LEARN--

--AND THAT KNOWLEDGE WILL BE THE DEATH OF THEM!



FUNNY SMOKE! HULK CAN'T BREATHE!

IT'S GAS, HULK! DON'T INHALE OR--

TOO LATE, DOC! HE GOT US GOOD!

MY LIMBS GROW HEAVY! CAN'T STAND--

KWHOOOM!

AND, SCANT SECONDS LATER...

THEY ARE DONE, HODGES! DO YOU SEE?

YEP, YOU FINISHED 'EM, TOMMY!

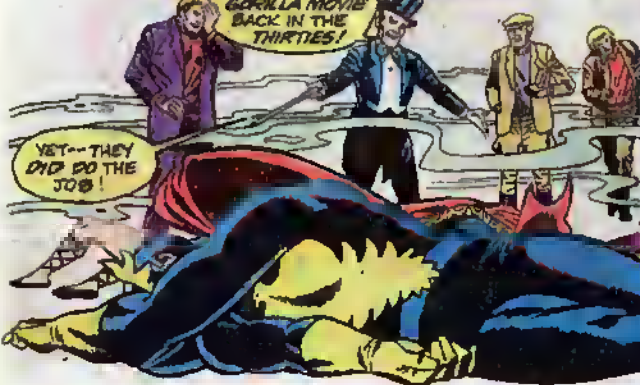
WE FINISHED THEM, MY FRIEND! IT WAS YOUR LITTLE GAS-BOMBS THAT BROUGHT OUR FOE-MEN DOWN! THE SAME ONES YOU DEvised FOR THAT ANGRY GORILLA MOVIE BACK IN THE THIRTIES!

YET-- THEY DID DO THE JOB!

AND I FEEL IN A PLAYFUL MOOD! TAKE OUR 'FRIENDS' HERE TO THE MAIN SET--



-- AND CALL ME WHEN THEY AWAKEN!



TIME... PASSING LIKE THE SANDS IN AN HOURGLASS...
... SLOWLY... UNTIL THE SANDS RUN OUT!

UNNNHH...
ALIVE!

I SEEM
TO BE BOUND,
HOWEVER!

BUT
TO WHAT?
AND
WHAT
OF THE
OTHERS?

ANSWER...

... THEY'RE ALL IN THE SAME
BOAT, STEPHEN STRANGE!

AND IT'S SINKING
FAST!

AWAKE,
ARE YOU,
DOCTOR?

I'M GLAD! I WAS
BEGINNING TO FEEL
THAT YOU'D SLEEP
THRU THE WHOLE
SHOW!

WHICH WOULD NEVER,
EVER DO-- SEEING AS HOW
YOU AND YOUR INTERFERING
COMPANIONS ARE THE
STARS OF THIS LITTLE
PRODUCTION!

WE'RE IN THE MONEY--
I KNOW WE'RE IN THE MONEY.
WE'VE GOT A LOT OF WHAT
IF IT TAKES TO GET ALONG!

MARK THE WORDS
MY FACELESS LOVELIES
ARE SINGING, DOCTOR--



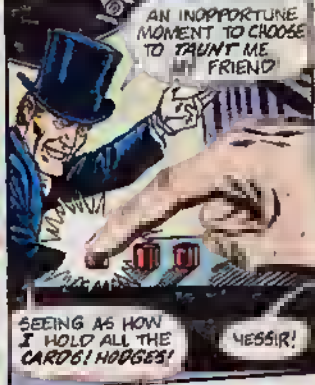
—FOR THEY ARE MY
THEME! MY PURPOSE!

AND YOU
HAVE
ROBBED
ME OF MY
GOAL!



LIKE I SAID
BEFORE, FELLA—

YOU'VE
FLIPPED
YOUR EVER-
LOVIN'
GOURD!



AN INOCCUPORTUNE
MOMENT TO CHOOSE
TO TAUNT ME
FRIEND

SEEING AS HOW
I HOLD ALL THE
CARDS! HODGES!

YESSIR!



"START THE SHOW!
NOW!"

GOOD LORD! THESE
AUTOMATONS ARE
TRYING TO BEAT US TO
DEATH!

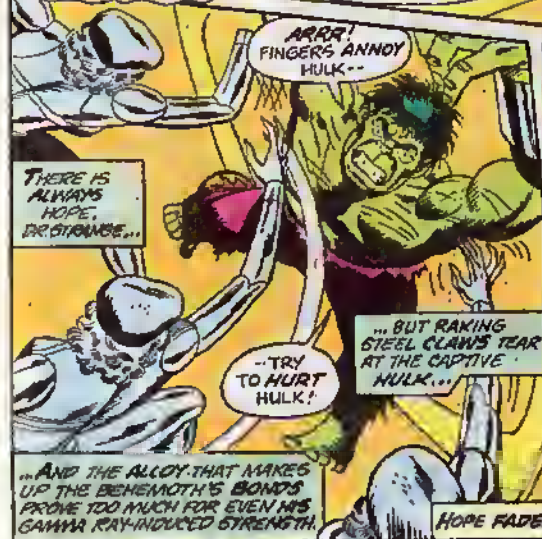
"YESSIR," AND
AGAIN A
BUTTON IS
PRESSED...

—AND THE BIZARRE
NUMBER BEGINS!

"WE'RE IN THE MONEY,
I KNOW WE'RE IN THE
MONEY--"

HOLD OUT AS
BEST YOU CAN,
NIGHTHAWK! THERE
IS STILL HOPE!

AND AS LONG AS
WE CAN'T FIGHT
BACK-- THEY JUST
MIGHT SUCCEED!



ARRR!
FINGERS ANNOY
HULK--

THERE IS
ALWAYS
HOPE,
DR. STRANGE...

--TRY
TO HURT
HULK!

... BUT RAKING
STEEL CLAWS TEAR
AT THE CAPTIVE
HULK...

HOPE FADES!

THE VALKYRIE
FARES NO BETTER.

THESE METAL HARPIES
ARE KILLING ME! BUT I'D
BE HELPLESS AGAINST
THEM EVEN IF
UNFETTERED!

FOR MY POWERS
ARE USELESS
AGAINST WOMEN--
EVEN METAL ONES!

BUT NO ALLOY, NO MATTER HOW STRONG...

HULK IS
FREE!

... CAN HOLD OUT FOR LONGS
AGAINST THE RAGE OF THE
RUMFAGING HULK.

FREE TO
SMASH!

-- WE'VE GOT A
LOT OF WHAT IT
TAKES TO--
WHIRRRRR

KRANG!

THE GREEN
ONE HAS
MANAGED
TO FREE
HIMSELF!

-- I CAN
MAKE USE
OF MY
STRENGTH TO
SHAKE OFF MY
PETERS!

AND THERE ARE
MALE ROBOTS ATTACKING
DOCTOR STRANGE!

I AM UNDER
NO SUCH BAN
AGAINST ATTACKING
THEM!

AND WHILE I
CANNOT
LASH OUT
AT ROBOT
TORMENTORS--

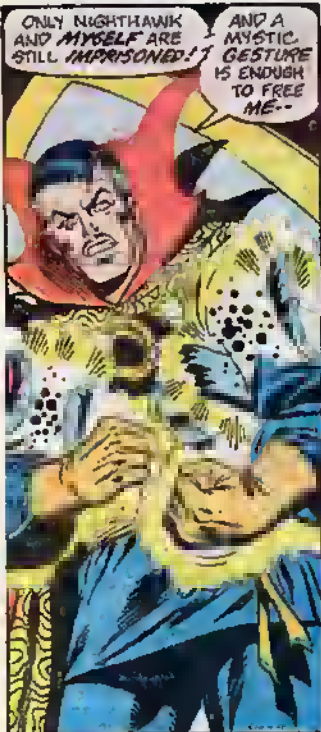
AND THE CHANCE
TO ACT IS ALMOST
-- REFRESHING!

WTAM!

SKRANG

I KNOW WE'RE
IN THE MONEY--
SKKKTTHWHIRLUCK...

ALMOST!



ONLY NIGHT-HAWK AND MYSELF ARE STILL IMPRISONED!!

AND A MYSTIC GESTURE IS ENOUGH TO FREE ME--



--WHILE ANOTHER SUCH GESTURE WILL SUFFICE TO FREE MY CLOAKED COMPANION!

THANKS AGAIN, DOC!



LATER, NIGHT-HAWK! FOR NOW WE STILL HAVE FOES THAT MUST BE DEALT WITH!

AND THEIR MASTER HAS YET TO BE CONFRONTED!

--WE GOT A LOT --STICKKK--



I SEE WHAT YOU MEAN, DOC!

WATCH THEIR CANES--

--OR YOU'LL GET AN UNPLEASANT SURPRISE!

I KNOW WE'RE IN THE MONEY--



I USED TO LIKE THAT SONG, YOU WALKING TUNA FISH CAN!

BUT YOU ARE MAKING ME RAPIDLY DETEST IT!

--WE GOT A LOT OF WHAT IT TAKES TO--



I GUESS YOU DIDN'T HEAR ME!

I SAID SHUT UP!

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AS FOR THE FLESH AND-BLOOD PART OF THIS ACT--

-- HEADS UP, BOYS! SHOW'S JUST ABOUT OVER!

COME BACK, YOU FOOLS!

NO WAY! HOW'D THIS TURN FROM A SIMPLE KIDNAPIN' INTO A MASSACRE?



YOU'RE SPOILING EVERYTHING!

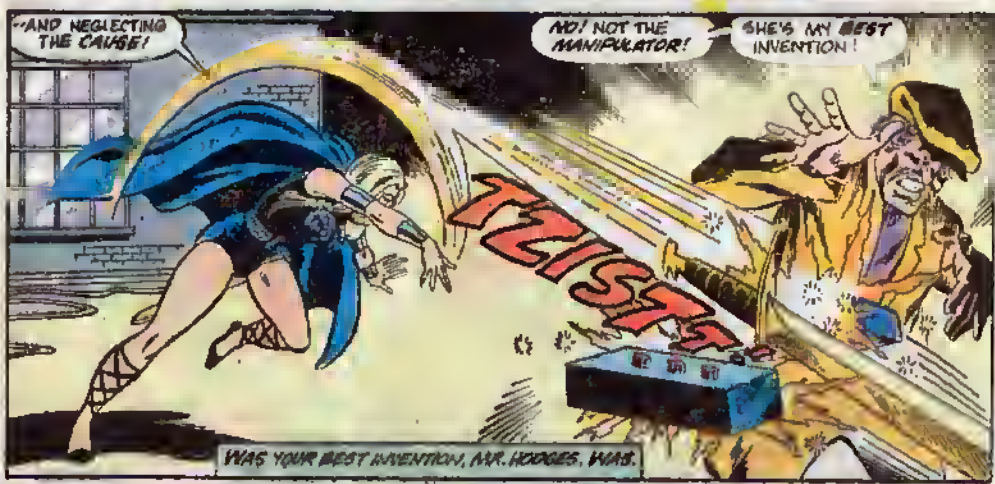
BUT I'VE STILL MORE WHERE THESE CAME FROM! I'VE ALWAYS GOT MORE!



HE'S TOTALLY INSANE, AND YET--

--HE KEEPS LOOKING AT THE MAN CALLED HODGES! AT THAT BOX WITH ALL THE BUTTONS!

AND IT OCCURS TO ME THAT WE HAVE BEEN BATTLING THE EFFECT



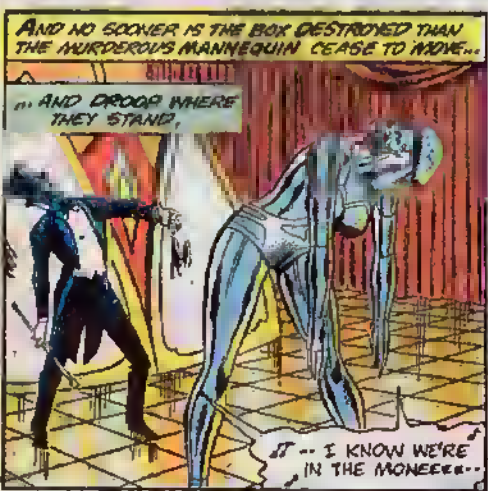
--AND NEGLECTING THE CAUSE!

NO! NOT THE MANIPULATOR!

SHE'S MY BEST INVENTION!

TRIZIST!

WAS YOUR BEST INVENTION, MR. HODGES, WAS.



AND NO SOONER IS THE BOX DESTROYED THAN THE MURDEROUS MANNQUIN CEASE TO MOVE...

...AND DROOP WHERE THEY STAND,

IT -- I KNOW WE'RE IN THE MONEEKS...



BLAST YOU!

YOU'VE FINISHED ME! DESTROYED ALL THAT I WORKED FOR YEARS TO CREATE!

BUT YOU'LL NOT GET ME!



I'M AFRAID WE
WILL 'GET YOU', MY
FRIEND!

YOU HAVE
ATTEMPTED TOO
MUCH TO BE ALLOWED
TO ESCAPE!



AND YOU
WILL NOT
ESCAPE--

--NOT WHILE
A SIMPLE SPELL CAN
HOLD YOU QUIETLY UNTIL
THE AUTHORITIES MAY
BE JUDGED.

NO!
NO MORE!
I GIVE
UP!



CAN -- CAN'T
WE MAKE A
DEAL?

LIKE IF YOU
LET ME GO,
I'LL--

NEVER MIND!
I CAN SEE YOU'RE
NOT INTERESTED!



HULK WILL
MAKE DEAL
WITH LITTLE
MAN!

YOU--
YOU WILL??

HULK IS NOT
ANGRY, HULK
WANTS TO BE
FRIENDS

WHY--
THAT'S JUST
GREAT! I--



BUT FIRST HULK
HAS TO LET LITTLE MAN
KNOW THAT HE WAS
BAD!

LIKE
THIS!



YOU KNOW SOMETHING,
GREEN-SKIN? YOU'RE A
LITTLE CRUDE AT TIMES--

-- BUT ALWAYS
EFFECTIVE!

TAPPING TOMMY WILL
BE OUT FOR QUITE SOME
TIME, HULK!

TOO BAD.
HULK LIKED
LITTLE MAN!

I HOPE YOU NEVER
CHOOSE TO LIKE ANY
OF US THE SAME
WAY, MY FRIEND!

I DON'T
THINK WE
COULD STAND
IT!

THE END